DoD "To-Be" End-to-End Procurement Process Model

Phase 1: DoD "To-Be" Procurement Process Model Template Development Meeting Summary

November 17-19, 1998

The Phase 1 meeting to develop the DoD "To-Be" Procurement Process Model Template was held at the Radisson Plaza Hotel at Mark Center on November 17-19, 1998. The meeting was co-hosted by the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) and the Defense Contract Management Command (DCMC). Over 90 members of the Military Services, DFAS, DCMC, DLA, and other Defense Agencies attended the three-day conference.

The conference began on Tuesday morning with presentations on the objectives of the effort, overviews of several key procurement systems including the Standard Procurement System (SPS) and the Defense Procurement Payment System (DPPS), and instructions for the attendees to use to develop the Procurement Process Model Template. Major General Timothy P. Malishenko, Commander, DCMC, and Mr. Gary Amlin, Director, DFAS, provided Introductory Remarks.

The large group of attendees was divided into six subgroups; Major Weapon Systems, Operational Support (Spares), Services, Information Technology, Science and Technology, and Fuels to develop independent visions for conducting procurement activities in the future shared data environment. The subgroups developed these visions and improvement ideas during the conference and provided outbriefs of their findings on Thursday afternoon. These independent visions will be consolidated into an integrated Procurement Process Model Template. The Template will be used as a starting point for the Phase 2 meeting to detail the interfaces between the process boundaries to the data element level. The Phase 2 meeting is scheduled for December 8-10, 1998 at the Radisson Plaza Hotel at Mark Place.